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C H A P. VI. lected, shall be paid by the said Sheriff to the Commissioners aforesaid, and applied by them towards building the Court-House and Prison aforesaid for the said County.

Commissioners to contract for building the Court-House and Prison.

Bush-Town to be called Harford-Town.

Causcs, &c. depending in Baltimore County Court before March 2, to be prosecuted, &c.

Justices of Baltimore County to issue Executions against Inhabitants of Harford County, &c.

Levies assessed for the present Year to be applied in such Manner as if this Act had never been made.

Delegates for Baltimore County to retain their Seats, and serve for the Counties in which they reside, &c.

X. And be it enacted, That the Commissioners aforesaid, or the major Part of them, shall be, and they are hereby authorized and required to contract and agree for the building of the said Court-House and Prison; which said Court-House and Prison shall be built and erected on the Land to be purchased as aforesaid, in or adjoining to *Bush-Town*, on the Head of *Bush-River*; and the said Town, after the Commencement of this Act, shall be called *Harford-Town*.

XI. And be it enacted, That all Causes, Pleas, Process, and Pleadings, which now are or shall be depending in *Baltimore County Court*, before the Second Day of *March* next, shall and may be prosecuted as effectually as they might have been, had this Act never been made: and, in Case any Deeds or Conveyances of Land in *Harford County*, have been or shall be, before the Division aforesaid, acknowledged according to Law in *Baltimore County*, the Enrollment or Recording thereof, within the Time limited by Law, either in the County Court of *Baltimore County*, or in the County Court of *Harford County*, shall be good and available, the Division aforesaid notwithstanding.

XII. And be it enacted, That the Justices of *Baltimore County* shall be, and they are hereby empowered, upon Application, to issue Executions, or other legal Process, upon all Judgments had and obtained, or to be had and obtained, in *Baltimore County Court*, against any Inhabitant of *Harford County*, and to enforce the same; which said Writs shall be directed to the Sheriff of *Harford County*, and the said Sheriff is hereby authorized and directed to serve and return the same to *Baltimore County Court*, with the Body or Bodies of the Person or Persons, if taken, against whom such Writ or Writs shall issue for that Purpose; and, during the Attendance of the Sheriff of *Harford County* at *Baltimore County Court*, he shall have a Power to confine in *Baltimore County Jail*, if he should think it necessary, such Persons as he shall have in Execution; but after his Attendance shall be dispensed with by the said Court, he shall then, in a reasonable Time, remove such Persons as he shall have in Execution to *Harford County Jail*, there to be kept till legally discharged.

XIII. And be it enacted, That the Public and County Levy, now assessed or levied, or to be levied and assessed, by the Justices of *Baltimore County Court*, at their Levy Court for the present Year, shall and may be collected and received by the Sheriff of *Baltimore County*, as well of the taxable Inhabitants of *Harford* as of *Baltimore County*, and collected, accounted for, and applied, in such Manner as the said Public and County Levy would have been collected, accounted for, and applied, had this Act never been made.

XIV. And be it enacted, That the several Delegates for *Baltimore County* shall retain their Seats, and that such of them as are Residents in *Baltimore County*, after the Division aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken as Delegates for that County, and such of them as are Residents in *Harford County*, shall be deemed and taken as Delegates for that County, and Writs of Election shall issue, to make up the Number of Delegates wanted in either County, to compleat the usual and common County Representation.

XV. And,